Oberlin College

Commencement Exercises

May 28, 1990
157th Anniversary

In addition to President Starr and the Honorary Degree recipients and presenters, the following persons are sharing the Commencement Platform

Ruth Rawlinson Bergengren, A.B., '40, Honorary Marshal, President of the Class of 1940
David Stephen Boe, Dean of the Conservatory of Music
Samuel Crowe Carrier, III, Provost
The Right Reverend Lloyd E. Gressle, A.B. '40, Invocatur
Lori Gumpf, Registrar
Lanna Carroll Hagge, Director,Office of Career Development and Placement
Robert Alan Haslun, A.B. '67, Secretary of the College
Alfred Farnum MacKay, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences
Roberta Scheff Maneker, A.B. '57, President of the Alumni Association
Patrick Penn, Dean of Student Life and Services
Haskell LeRoy Thomson, B.Mus. '58, Professor of Organ

Officers of the Senior Class

Tammy Paulette Dowley, President
Xuanthao Ngoc Nguyen, Vice President
Munis Faruqui, Secretary-Treasurer

Retiring Member of the Faculty and Staff (with year of appointment)

George Harris Langeler, Dean of Students (1959)

Trustees of Oberlin College
(except those receiving and presenting honorary degrees)

George Roberts Bent, Chairman, A.B. '52
John Dixon Elder, A.B. '53
James W. Ford, A.B. '45
Herbert W. Kaatz, A.B. '58
Robert I. Rotberg, A.B. '55

Honorary Trustees of Oberlin College

Bernard L. Gladieux, A.B. '30, LL.D. '85
Erwin N. Griswold, A.B. '25, LL.D. '82
Jeanne Hibbard Stephens, A.B. '33

The College's Commencement Exercises are being signed for several hearing-impaired guests and students. The signer, Mary Early from Lorain County Impaired Hearing Services, will be standing on the far right side of the platform as you face it.

ORDER OF EXERCISES

PRESIDING

PRESIDENT STEPHEN FREDERICK STARR

I. THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

HONORARY MARSHAL—RUTH RAWLINSON BERGENGREN, A.B. '40,
PRESIDENT OF THE CLASS OF 1940
PROCESSION MARSHAL—ROBERT ALAN HASLUN, A.B. '67,
SECRETARY OF THE COLLEGE

The outdoor Academic Procession has its antecedents in medieval Oxford University. The Procession is designed so that each graduating senior passes before each faculty member one final time before the conferring of the degrees. The colorful nature of the Procession comes from the academic hoods worn by the faculty. The hoods are lined with silk in the official academic color or colors of the institution which granted the faculty member's degree; they are trimmed in velvet the color indicating the discipline to which the degree pertains.

The audience will rise when the procession moves down the aisle.

MUSIC—The Commencement Band

ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR JOHN KNIGHT, Conductor

Blossom Music Festival Fanfare	Walter E. Aschaffenburg (b. 1927)
War March of the Priests from *Athalia*	Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)
See, the Conquering Hero Comes from *Judas Maccabaeus*	Georg Friedrich Handel (1685-1759)
Solemn Music	Handel
Slow March from *Scipio*	Handel

II. INVOCATION—*(audience standing)*

THE RIGHT REVEREND LLOYD E. GRESSLE, A.B. '40
Bishop (retired) of the Episcopal Diocese of
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

III. WELCOME AND REMARKS

PRESIDENT STARR

IV. REMARKS

TAMMY PAULETTE DOWLEY, President of the Class of 1990

V. MUSIC—The Commencement Band

JOHN KNIGHT, Conductor

Cathedral Chorus	Alfred Reed (b. 1921)

VI. ANNOUNCEMENT OF DEGREES GRANTED SINCE THE COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES OF MAY 1989

SAMUEL CROWE CARRIER III, PROVOST

THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
The Degree of Bachelor of Arts

Jordan Matthew Balter
Loren Lindman Blackford
Christine Oi-Wah Chan
Seth David Findley
Elizabeth Susan Houston
Jonathan Andrew Perry
Pebbles Marie Feliciano Salazar
Kersten Wassoon
Eek-Sang Yoon

VII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE AWARD OF HONORS AND PRIZES

MR. CARRIER

GRADUATION WITH DISTINCTION

George Thomas Abernathy, Jr., with Highest Honors in Theater
Christopher Alve Andrews, with High Honors in Mathematics
John Michael Ashley, with High Honors in Computer Science
Todd M.R. Baker, with Honors in Economics
James Eugene Matthew Blandy, with Honors in Computer Science
Greg John Bloy, with Honors in Mathematics
Anthony Michael Bradfield, with Honors in History
Neel Chowdhury, with Highest Honors in English and High Honors in History
John Edward Clayton, with Honors in History
Peter Frederick Clements, with High Honors in English
Timothy James Bradford Collins, with Honors in Physics
Kimerly Sherron Cornish, with Honors in English
James Cyril Davis, III, with Honors in English
Mauro Daniel DeCillis, with High Honors in Romance Languages
Paul Richard Durham, with Honors in Philosophy
Douglas William Dwyer, with High Honors in Economics
Erik James Erikson, with Honors in Computer Science
Susan Eileen Fox, with High Honors in Computer Science
David Reed Fuqua, with Highest Honors in Russian
Kenichi Futamura, with High Honors in Mathematics
Daniel James Gardner, with High Honors in Religion
Diane Gesty, with Honors in Chemistry
Leslie Claire Gibbons, with Honors in Religion
John L. Gulick, with High Honors in Government
Gregory Hansen, with Honors in Mathematics
Gregory Alan Harris, with Honors in English
Bryan Scott Hauser, with Honors in Anthropology
Susan Elizabeth Hawley, with Honors in Chemistry
Elizabeth R. Heyman, with Honors in Chemistry
Scott Thomas Hofmeister, with Highest Honors in Computer Science
Daniel Scott Hosken, with Honors in Economics
Geoffrey Stephen Hudson, with High Honors in History
Kyung Moon Hwang, with High Honors in History
Jody Merrill Jacobson, with Honors in Psychology
Elizabeth Lacy Jockusch, with High Honors in Biology
Duff Horatio Guy Pomerance Johnson, with Honors in Government
Michael Vincent Keilman, with Honors in Physics
Roland Nozomu Kelts, with Honors in English
Stanley Y. Kim, with Honors in Art History
Katherine Jane Kornblau, with Honors in Art History
Tarl Roger Kudrick, with Honors in Psychology
William H. Lewis, with Honors in History
Susanne Chosein Lin, with Highest Honors in Chemistry
Rachel E. Luft, with High Honors in Religion
Melissa Rae Macomber, with High Honors in Government
Andrew Wightman Marcuse, with Honors in East Asian Studies
Michelle Judith Markley, with High Honors in Geology
Margaret Anne Martin, with High Honors in Chemistry
Lance Eric Mathews, with Honors in Economics
Suzanne Kathleen McCoskey, with Honors in Economics
Mary Elizabeth Michel, with High Honors in Theater
Gary Alan Mines, with Highest Honors in Chemistry
Jessica Dee Montell, with Honors in Judaic and Near Eastern Studies
Christopher Irwin Moore, with High Honors in Neuroscience

Theodore Dirk Mouw, with Highest Honors in English
Daniel James Muir, with High Honors in English
Laura Catherine Murrell, with Honors in English
Jonathan Todd Hunter Perry, with Honors in Philosophy
Victoria April Phillips, with Honors in English
Elizabeth Mae Reed, with Honors in English
James Anthony Rippie, with Honors in Music and Technology in Society
Jennifer Leigh Rohn, with Highest Honors in Biology
David Silcan Romano, with High Honors in Mathematics
Pamela Jane Rosenstein, with High Honors in English
William Harold Sandstead, with Honors in Philosophy
Lauren Sarat, with High Honors in Religion
Nathan Allen Schwadron, with Honors in Physics
Eric James Smith, with Honors in Chemistry
Mark William Smith, with Honors in Economics
Jennifer Lynn Solotaroff, with Honors in English
R. Warren Sprouse, with Highest Honors in Government
Nikhil Srinivasan, with High Honors in Government
John Keith Starkey, with Honors in Economics
Everett Rand Sutherland, with High Honors in Biology
James David Sutherland, with Highest Honors in Biology
Catherine Laura Sweeney, with Honors in English
Benjamin Eisler Turk, with Highest Honors in Chemistry
Kevin Gregory Vaughan, with Honors in Chemistry
Oscar Addison Waddell, with Honors in Computer Science
Gregg S. Weinberg, with High Honors in History
Rebecca Suzanne Whisnant, with Highest Honors in Philosophy
James Wilson Wyatt, with Highest Honors in Religion
Mary Beth Ziskin, with High Honors in Music

PHI BETA KAPPA
THE ZETA OF OHIO CHAPTER
THE CLASS OF 1990

Elected in March 1989

Christopher Alve Andrews
Eleanor Victoria Armitage
Jeremy Martin Denk
David Reed Fuqua
Kenichi Futamura
Elizabeth Lacy Jockusch
Maureen Anne McCarthy
Gary Alan Mines
David Michael Nowacek
Paul Joseph Sciortino
Steven Nicholson Suo
Benjamin Eisler Turk
Nathan Garrison Wilkes

Elected in November 1989

Timothy James Bradford Collins
Cynthia Kay Damer
Erik James Erikson
Munis Faruqui
Ruth Lillian Goldstein
Katrina Ann Grieve
Geoffrey Stephen Hudson
Miranda Cybelle Kahn
Susanne Chosein Lin
Estelle Marie McKee
Willamarie Moore
Deborah Lynn Owen
Jill Marie Roehr
Cora Ruth Roelofs
David Silcan Romano
Marlene J. Shurell
Oscar Addison Waddell
James Wilson Wyatt
Anna Yew

Elected in March 1990

Mitchell Howard Ackerman
Elmer Dexter Almachar
Greg John Bloy
Peter Frederick Clements
Jeffrey Thomas Dean
Suzanne Donahue
Christine Jo Douglas
Shane David DuBow
Elena Ruth Felder
Regina Louise Griffith
John Lawrence Gulick
Gregory Alan Harris
Scott Thomas Hofmeister
Fawn Elizabeth Houck
Kyung Moon Hwang
Ronald Carlton Jennings
Benjamin Moses Leff
Craig Edward Malkin
Mary Elizabeth Michel
Theodore Dirk Mouw
Daniel James Muir
Susan Alice Munkres
Rose Marie Nauta
David Edmiston Palmer
Lisa Amy Phillips
Carl Winston Riehl
Jennifer Leigh Rohn
Nathan Kumar Scott
Jennifer Lynn Solotaroff
Mackenzie Ruth Sullivan
Jessica Ann Wolff

SOCIETY OF SIGMA XI
THE OBERLIN CHAPTER

Christopher Alve Andrews
John Michael Ashley
Jeffery M. Becker
James Matthew Eugene Blandy
Greg John Bloy
Uthman Cavallo
Timothy James Bradford Collins
Cynthia Kay Damer
Erik James Erikson
Susan Eileen Fox
Kenichi Futamura
Diane Gesty
Eric Stevenson Haag
Gregory Hansen
Susan Elizabeth Hawley
Elizabeth Rebecca Heyman
Scott Thomas Hofmeister
Elizabeth Lacy Jockusch
Allen Gabriel Kastelle
Michael Vincent Keilman
James Merrell Leenhouts
Susanne Chosein Lin
Michelle Judith Markley
Margaret Anne Martin
Christopher Irwin Moore
Alison Nicklin
Jennifer Leigh Rohn
David Silcan Romano
Nathan Allen Schwadron
Everett Rand Sutherland
James David Sutherland
Benjamin Eisler Turk
Oscar Addison Waddell

PI KAPPA LAMBDA
THETA CHAPTER

From the Senior Class

Jennifer Marie Bargen
Jeffrey Neal Blersch
Greg John Bloy
Stephan Elliot Burkle
Jennifer Ann Carsillo
Melinda Ann Dalmas
Jeremy Martin Denk
Stephen Randall Dinion
Erik L. Dorset
Martha Amy Dwyer
David Reed Fuqua
Geoffrey Stephen Hudson
Karen Darlene Keppler
Soyoung Lee
Nathan Edward MacBrien
Alexander M. Margolis
Katrina L. Mundinger
Craig Ernest Peterson
Lisa Gay Rath
Carl Winston Riehl
Rose Shlyam
Jacquelyn June Warren
Laurie Lynn White
Lisa Renee Whitfield

AT&T COOPERATIVE RESEARCH MINORITY FELLOWSHIP

David Silcan Romano

THE HARROL AND VIRGINIA BAKER SCHOLARSHIP IN CHEMISTRY

Susanne Chosein Lin

THE JOHN D. BAUM MEMORIAL PRIZE IN MATHEMATICS

David Romano Silcan

THE BLACK STUDIES DEPARTMENT AWARDS

Jody Arthur Benjamin Malcolm Fitzgerald Cash Tammy Paulette Dowley

THE MARDIE WHEATLEY BLANCHARD SCHOLARSHIP IN HISTORY

Nadia Donna Malinovich

THE THOMAS L. BOARDMAN PRIZE IN JOURNALISM

Steven Nicholson Suo

THE ANDREW BONGIORNO SCHOLARSHIP

Roland Nozomu Kelts Daniel James Muir

THE ROBERT A. BUDINGTON SCHOLARSHIP IN BIOLOGY

Melissa Jean Mueller Heather Louise Parker Benjamin Martin Rosenthal

THE LYSLE BUTLER SCHOLAR/ATHLETE AWARD

Christopher Alve Andrews

THE JEROME DAVIS RESEARCH PAPER

Nancy Faith Della Mattera
Thomas William Kluth
Carol Susan Spector
Nikhil Srinivasan

THE JOEL DEAN PRIZE IN ECONOMICS
Douglas William Dwyer

THE JOHN ELVIN PIANO PRIZE
Jeremy Martin Denk Rose Shlyam

THE HERBERT ELWELL MEMORIAL PRIZE IN COMPOSITION
David Reed Fuqua Evan Robert Hause

FONDATION DES ETATS-UNIS SCHOLARSHIP
Sue-Kyung Song

THE LEAH D. FREED MEMORIAL PRIZE
Jessica Dee Montell

FRENCH GOVERNMENT TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP
Pamela Ann Serota

THE FLORENCE FREW SCHOLARSHIP
David Ferguson Ligon Christiane Nelson

THE GENERAL ELECTRIC FELLOWSHIP
Susanne Chosein Lin

THE BARRY M. GOLDWATER SCHOLARSHIP
Kenichi Futamura

THE JOYCE GORN MEMORIAL PRIZE
Christine Jo Douglas Adam David Rogoff Jessica Ann Wolff
Katherine Wyeth Rae Suzanne Abigail Siner

THE LOUIS AND MARGUERITE BLOOMBERG GREENWOOD PRIZE
Angela Powell

THE JAMES H. HALL PRIZE IN MUSIC HISTORY
Nathan Edward MacBrien Mary Beth Ziskin

THE HANSON PRIZE IN ECONOMICS
Douglas William Dwyer Suzanne Kathleen McCoskey

THE HOPE HIBBARD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP IN BIOLOGY
Jennifer Leigh Rohn

THE CLYDE HOLBROOK MEMORIAL PRIZE IN RELIGION
James Wilson Wyatt

THE HARRY NORTON HOLMES PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY
Jeremy Martin Denk Susanne Chosein Lin Gary Alan Mines
Kenichi Futamura Margaret Anne Martin

THE SELBY HARLAN HOUSTON PRIZE
Greg John Bloy

THE CARL E. HOWE PRIZE IN PHYSICS
Timothy James Bradford Collins

THE FAUSTINA HURLBUTT PRIZE
Jeremy Martin Denk

THE FRANK FANNING JEWETT PRIZE IN CHEMISTRY
Jeremy Martin Denk

THE PHYLLIS JONES WOMEN'S STUDIES PRIZE
Victoria Charlotte Gonzalez Kathy Lou Schultz

THE GLEN JORGENSEN SCHOLARSHIP
Bruce Jay Diamond Horace William McMillon Jeffrey Michael Taylor

THE LOUIS AND ANNETTE KAUFMAN PRIZE
Jennifer Ann Carsillo

THE KNEELAND PRIZE
Malcolm Fitzgerald Cash

THE LAHAURINE-JOHNSTON PRIZE
Suzanne Kathleen McCoskey

THE JOSHUA LEVITT MEMORIAL PRIZE
Uthman Cavallo Christine Jo Douglas

THE JOHN D. LEWIS MEMORIAL PRIZE
John Lawrence Gulick Cora Ruth Roelofs

THE GEORGE GRANT AND CARRIE LIFE PRIZE IN AMERICAN HISTORY
John Edward Clayton David Andrews Rutter Gregg S. Weinberg
Geoffrey Stephen Hudson Nicholas Broten Straley

THE MARY MACKENZIE LINCOLN SCHOLARSHIP
Wendy Louise Call Meredith Wynn Cornett

THE JAMES STANTON MCLAUGHLIN PRIZE
George Thomas Abernathy, Jr.

THE ANDREW W. MELLON FELLOWSHIP
Nathan Edward MacBrien

THE MERCK INDEX AWARD IN CHEMISTRY
Benjamin Eisler Turk

THE LEO S. MILLAR PRIZE
Elizabeth Lacy Jockusch David Joshua Kaufman Jill Marie Roehr

THE NASH DRAMA AWARDS
George Thomas Abernathy, Jr. Gregory David Cohen
Jeffrey Dennis Burrell Jane Rachel Latman

THE NATIONAL DEFENSE SCIENCES AND ENGINEERING GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP
David Silcan Romano

THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP
Kenichi Futamura Elizabeth Lacy Jockusch Gary Alan Mines

THE NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION MINORITY GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP
David Silcan Romano

THE NEWTON JAPANESE PRIZE
Katrina Ann Grieve Geoffrey Stephen Hudson Kyung Moon Hwang

THE REBECCA C. ORR MEMORIAL PRIZE
Christopher Alve Andrews Kenichi Futamura

THE GROVE PATTERSON AWARD
Horace William McMillon

THE PRIZE IN ECONOMICS IN HONOR OF JESSE PHILIPS
Todd M.R. Baker

THE PI KAPPA LAMBDA PRIZES FOR MUSICIANSHIP
Martha Amy Dwyer Alexander M. Margolis
Nathan Edward MacBrien Rose Shlyam

THE THEODORE PRESSER MUSIC AWARD
Jeremy Martin Denk

THE THEODORE PRESSER SCHOLARSHIP AWARD
Martha Amy Dwyer

THE PSYCHOLOGY DEPARTMENT PRIZE
Jodi Lynn Borger

THE PAUL PATRICK ROGERS PRIZE IN HISPANIC STUDIES
Danielle Grado Ruperto Torres

THE GEORGE T. SCOTT SCHOLARSHIP IN BIOLOGY
Wendy Louise Call Elizabeth Lacy Jockusch

THE SCRIPPS HOWARD FOUNDATION/DOROTHY FULDHEIM SCHOLARSHIP
Marlene Shurell

THE RUDOLF SERKIN SCHOLARSHIP IN PIANO
Jeremy Martin Denk Rose Shlyam

THE COMFORT STARR PRIZE IN ANTHROPOLOGY
Abigail Brookman Armstrong David Joshua Kaufman Katheryne Elizabeth McFarland
Ronald Carlton Jennings Karen Leigh Kessel Paul Joseph Sciortino

THE COMFORT STARR PRIZE IN ECONOMICS
Daniel Scott Hosken Mark William Smith

THE COMFORT STARR PRIZE IN GOVERNMENT
Munis Faruqui R. Warren Sprouse

THE COMFORT STARR PRIZE IN HISTORY
Neel Chowdhury Munis Faruqui Kyung Moon Hwang

THE COMFORT STARR PRIZE IN SOCIOLOGY
Ellen Marie Bradburn Charles André Mizell Maria Barbara Rorabacher
James K. King Xuanthao Ngoc Nguyen

THE WOLFGANG STECHOW PRIZE IN ACCOMPANYING
Jeremy Martin Denk

THE LOUIS SUDLER PRIZE IN THE ARTS
Rose Shlyam

THE NORMA DYER SWEARINGEN PRIZE
Christiane Nelson Emily Berenson Stone

THE DEAN S. AND ANN T. TARBELL AWARD
Susanne Chosein Lin

THE DUDLEY TENNEY PRIZE IN ENGLISH
Gregory Alan Harris

THE THOMAS J. WATSON FELLOWSHIPS
Neel Chowdhury Nathan Kumar Scott Scudder Norman Smith

THE GEORGE B. WHARTON PRIZE IN GEOLOGY
James Merrell Leenhouts Michelle Judith Markley

THE NORMAN H. WRIGHT PRIZE IN BIOLOGY
Jennifer Leigh Rohn James David Sutherland

VIII. CONFERRING OF THE AWARD FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

PRESIDENT STARR

Candidate for the Award for Distinguished Service to the Community

Dorothy Schwimmer Luciano, humble and compassionate servant, careful planner and tireless laborer, faithful believer in God's promise

The candidate will be presented by Joseph Nicholas Palmieri,
Professor of Physics and Director of Computing

Dorothy Schwimmer Luciano received the B.Sc. degree from Tufts University in 1959 and the Ph.D. degree in physiology from The University of Michigan in 1967. She is coauthor of two books, *Human Physiology: The Mechanisms of Body Function* (1990) and *Human Anatomy and Physiology: Structure and Function* (1983), and is working on another book, "Alcohol: The Inside Story," which will describe, in layman's terms, the physiological effects of alcohol on the body. Among her volunteer activities is the Oberlin hot-meals program, which provides free weekday dinners for community members; she points out that Oberlin College students are always among the volunteer workers. She has been on the program's board of directors since 1984 and has been president since 1985. She is also a member of the Oberlin Retirement Community Board, which has overseen the organization of the Kendal retirement community. She and her husband, Joseph Luciano, who is an Oberlin Clinic pediatrician and heads the Allen Memorial Hospital's alcohol and drug CARE unit, will move into the community when he qualifies at age 65—"in the year 2000," she notes. She has been involved in many charitable activities at the Sacred Heart Church in Elyria and the St. Joseph Christian Life Center in Cleveland. She was a member of the board of the Oberlin Public Library from 1979 to 1986, serving as president from 1982 to 1986, and belonged to the 19th-Century Club from 1975 to 1986. Luciano serves on the College's institutional animal care and use committee. She and her husband are community associates at the north campus dining facility (each module has two such associates). The Lucianos have three grown daughters, all of whom went through the Oberlin public school system.

IX. THE CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

PRESIDENT STARR

Candidate for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Science

Lawrence William Funkhouser, A.B. '43, distinguished earth scientist, able administrator, an advocate for the rational use of natural and human resources, steadfast supporter of earth sciences education

The candidate will be presented by Steven F. Wojtal,
Associate Professor of Geology

Candidate for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Humanities

Bronislaw Geremek, historian who has created a new awareness of the lives of people on the margin of European society: the poor, the workers, the beggars, the gypsies; advisor in Solidarity who has dared to dream and act to bring freedom to his homeland; honorary member of the Oberlin community who has brought new meaning and lustre to our timeless motto, "Learning and Labor"

The candidate will be presented by Grover Alfonso Zinn, Jr.,
Danforth Professor of Religion

Candidate for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Fine Arts

Trinh Minh-ha, experimental filmmaker, ethnomusicologist, composer, and keen student of world culture

The candidate will be presented by Roger Copeland,
Professor of Theater

Candidate for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Science

Eric Thomas Nord, humanitarian, enlightened leader of business, visionary and tireless community mentor, dedicated servant of educational excellence, extraordinary supporter of the strength of this College

The candidate will be presented by William Robert Perlik, A.B. '48
Trustee of Oberlin College

Candidate for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Fine Arts

Sylvia Hill Williams, A.B. '57, curator, educator, and administrator, through her distinguished museum career, she has expanded the nation's knowledge of African art and culture which form an important part of our American heritage

The candidate will be presented by William J. Chiego,
Director of the Allen Memorial Art Museum

Candidate for the Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws

Tatyana Ivanovna Zaslavskaya, eminent sociologist and economist, respected student of rural communities and huge bureaucracies, scholar, administrator and advisor, academician, influential participant in Soviet perestroyka

The candidate will be presented by John Milton Yinger,
Emeritus Professor of Sociology-Anthropology

X. COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

BRONISLAW GEREMEK

Biographical information on the candidates for Honorary Degrees can be found on pages 16 and 17.

XI. CONFERRING OF DEGREES IN COURSE*

PRESIDENT STARR

CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES

THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES
PRESENTED BY DEAN ALFRED FARNUM MACKAY

The Degree of Bachelor of Arts

Tammy Paulette Dowley, *President*
Xuanthao Ngoc Nguyen, *Vice President*
Munis Faruqui, *Secretary-Treasurer*
Jonathan Seth Abarbanel
George Thomas Abernathy, Jr.
Mitchell Howard Ackerman
Salman Aladin
Tyrrell Lynn Albaugh
Christopher Russell Allen
Elmer Dexter Almachar
Kirk Thomas Ambrose
Christopher Todd Anderson
Christopher Alve Andrews
Richard Adam Andrews
Ryan Patrick Andrews
Neal Appelbaum
Eleanor Victoria Armitage
Abigail Brookman Armstrong
Maria Teresa Arsuaga
Karen Lora Ashby
John Michael Ashley
Jessie Nordin Audette
Stephanie Katherine Ault
Alicia Elizabeth Avery
Amy Jane Bachman
Helmut David Baer
Enrique A. Báez
Todd M.R. Baker
Judith Sara Bard
Robb S. Barnard
Aaron M. Bart
Peter Bartkowski
Gisella Chiara Bassani
Amy Louise Battisti
Martha Cotton Bayne
Jeffery Michael Becker
Katharina Elisabeth Becker
Brandon Everett Bell
Lisa Angela Bellin
Laurie Belton
Jody Arthur Benjamin
John Jackson Bennett
Belinda Z. Berg
Michael Ryan Berg
Stefano Michele Berio
Alison Lynne Berman
Lisa Catherine Beskin
William Robert Bettler
Gavin Edward Black
James Eugene Matthew Blandy
Nicholas O. Blechman
Paul Diran Bodig
Kevin Christopher Boland
Alyssa Mary Bongiorno
Jodi Lynn Borger
George Martin Bosela
David Christopher Bosser
Charles Shawn Boyett
Ellen Marie Bradburn
Anthony Michael Bradfield
David Walker Brandon
Cory Todd Brandt
Hope Eleanor Brayton
Deanna Louise Bremer
Thomas McCourtney Brodhead
John William Brooking, IV
Christopher Dana Broussard
Adrian Carlisle Brown
Anthony Jerome Brown
Michael Harold Metzger Brown
Susan Lesley Brown
Susan Broxmeyer
Cheryl Yvonne Brundage
Jeffrey Dennis Burrell
Lewis Graves Burrus, II
Salman S. Butt
Leisa Michele Byars
Claude A. Cahn
Wendy Louise Call
John R. B. Campbell
Lori Michelle Caplan
Stanford Wayne Carpenter
Malcolm Fitzgerald Cash
William Coventry Castell
Uthman Cavallo
Deborah Jeanne Challener
Ann Marie Cheatham
Laura Amason Cheek
Jessica Lynn Chen
Anthony Cherin
Chul Hwan Choi
Judy Lee Choi
Neel Chowdhury
Michele Meehee Choy
Tet-Inn Chuah
Michael Hoonbae Chung
David Michael Ciarlo
Jeffrey Dean Clark
Kathleen Lisa Clarke
John Edward Clayton
Peter Frederick Clements
Jennifer Shanti Cogley
Gregory D. Cohen
Jennifer L. Cohen
Sheri Cohen
Mercer Logan Colby
Daisy Juliana Colchie
Brian Alan Cole
Charles Chatfield Cole, III
Craig Peter Coletta
Timothy James Bradford Collins
Leslie Craig Comedy
Luke McDonald Comer
Jonathan Comisar
Sean Patrick Compagnucci
John Henry Chapman Congdon
Kristin Devra Connery
Clare Maureen Connors
Milton Cook
Laura Cooper
Meredith Wynn Cornett
Kimerly Sherron Cornish
Anni Susan Crofut

*Listed are all students from the College of Arts and Sciences and the Conservatory of Music who have been approved by the General Faculty and Board of Trustees of Oberlin College for the awarding of appropriate degrees upon completion of prescribed work. It includes students who are graduating on May 28, 1990; students who will complete requirements during the summer and fall 1990; and those who completed requirements on December 19, 1989, and January 30, 1990, who are returning to receive their diplomas at this Commencement. This does not constitute the official list of graduates for 1990; the official list will be made available by the Registrar after June 30, 1990.

Martha Susan Cronin
Byron Christopher Crump
Randall Thomas Curnow, Jr.
Betsy Laura Cutler
Cynthia Kay Damer
Michael Barnett Dashow
Justin S. David
James Cyril Davis, III
James Howard Davis
Jeffrey Thomas Dean
Karl Philip Debreczeny
Steven M. DeCastro
Mauro Daniel DeCillis
Jennifer Ruth deGarmo
Nancy Faith DellaMattera
Marisa M. Dewa
Sarah Dewees
Barbara Lynn Diamond
Bruce Jay Diamond
Max William Diesing
Justine Michelle DiFiore
Christopher C. Doane
Suzanne Donahue
Daniel Patrick Donnelly
Teresa Maria Dorado
Christine Jo Douglas
Elizabeth Anne Dowell
Allison Lussier Downey
Lisa Michele Drayton
Bradford Joseph Dubé
Shane David DuBow
Diana Dumitru
Paul Richard Durham
Jamie Elizabeth Durner
John Carl Dworkin
Douglas William Dwyer
Sammie L. Davis Dyson
Don Gregory Elligan
Rhian Margaret Ellis
Daniel Jay Elshoff
Lisa Jane Emsbo
Camilla Enders
Lisa Marie Endlich
Scott Endo
Tammy Mary Eng
Mark Palmer Englehart
Erik James Erikson
Douglas Steven Ettin
Eliza Robinson Evans
Susan Andrea Fabry
William Guy Fairbrother
Andrew Nelson Feakins
Elena Felder
Andrew Carl Ferguson
Joshua Ché Fleischmann
Kathryn Rosemary Foote
Daniel Ivan Ford
Matthew Gabe Forney
David Robert Foss
Susan Eileen Fox
Jeffrey H. Fracé
Seth Daniel Freedman
Ann Elizabeth Freel
Anna Lisa Fridgeirsson
Nicholas Edward Friend
Elizabeth Boardman Frisbie
Kenichi Futamura
Deborah Anne Gabelnick
Franklin Henry Gafford
Michael Edward Gajewski
Benjamin Galdston
Daniel James Gardner
Peter Sandor Gardos
Alvaro Gabriel Garron
Daniel Makepeace Gelperin
Megan Elizabeth Gelstein
Michael Saffold George
Pierce de la Soudiére Gerety
Diane Gesty
Cameron Reed Getto
Leslie Claire Gibbons
Eren T. Gibson
Stephanie Frances Gibson
Matthew Timmerman Gilbert
Jessica Lori Goldberg
Laura Lynn Goldman
Jennifer Lee Goldsborough
Ruth Lillian Goldstein
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Joan Morgan Messner
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Paul Geoffrey Alan Mirel
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Kimberly Irene Monis
Jessica Dee Montell
Rafael M. Montes
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Eric John Moore
Willamarie Moore
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Angelica Simone Mortel
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Christiane Nelson
Erika Martina Nelson
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Tamara Beth Packard
David Edmiston Palmer
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Jonathan Todd Hunter Perry
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Lisa Amy Phillips
Stephanie B. Phillips
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Raegen Nicole Rasnic
Karey Leah Rawitscher

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Andrew Graham Sahud
Mark Andrew Saltzman
Stefani Diane Sandow
William Harold Sandstead
Lauren Sarat
Andrea Louise Saville
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Kathy Lou Schultz
Caroline Hope Schutz
Nathan Allen Schwadron
Celia E. Schwartz
Paul Joseph Sciortino
Evelyn Helene Sclufer
Nathan Kumar Scott
John Edward Parker Searle
Christopher Warren Seeds
Karen Elise Segar
Pamela Ann Serota
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Tshepo Ian Shuenyane
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Katherine Sorel
Charles Edward Sowers
Crispin Cunningham Spaeth
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Sarah Frances Spicer
Mira Sharone Spiegel
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R. Warren Sprouse
Nikhil Srinivasan
Chloe Demeter Stamas
Aandrea Edith Stang
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Dylan Lior Steer
Jennifer Florence Steil
Jean Marie Steinman
Timothy Bavis Steller
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Emily Berenson Stone
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Julia Christine Stubblebine
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Jeffrey Michael Taylor
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Mary Margaret Threadgill
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Laura Lynn Toepfer
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Thomas Raoul Transue
Vered Tsarfaty
Benjamin Eisler Turk
Kwaku Adusei Twumasi
David Joseph Ubogy
Sharon Elizabeth Vandivere
Natalie Gwendolyn vanGigch
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Kristina Sakamoto Vassil
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Jennifer Lynn Verson
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Oscar Addison Waddell
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William Yu
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Stephanie Zakow
Jonathan M. Zang
Farisa Zarinetchi
Mary Beth Ziskin
Lisa Zolbrod

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B.A., University of California, Irvine, 1987

Janet Elizabeth Stocks
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Stephen Charles Vowles
Jacquelyn June Warren
Daniel Wassé
Laurie Lynn White
Lisa Renee Christine Whitfield
Phoebe L. Yadon-Lewis

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Christopher Martin Schaljo
B.Mus., Oberlin College, 1989

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B.Mus., Oberlin College, 1990

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Anthony John DeMarco
Ming Pak
Zhao Yu

XII. RECESSIONAL

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES ON HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENTS

LAWRENCE WILLIAM FUNKHOUSER, DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Lawrence William Funkhouser received the B.A. degree with a major in geology from Oberlin College in 1943. At Oberlin Funkhouser was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi. After serving in the Air Force during World War II, he attended Stanford University, receiving the M.S. degree in geology in 1948. Funkhouser worked for the Chevron Corporation for 38 years. He joined Chevron—then called Standard Oil Company of California—in 1948, beginning as a geologist in New Orleans and eventually becoming vice president for exploration, first for the company's Texas subsidiary, then for the company's West Coast subsidiary, and finally for the entire corporation. He was elected a company director in 1973, and in 1976 he became vice president for exploration and production, remaining in that post until his retirement a decade later. Last year Funkhouser cofounded Energy Exploration Management Company, an independent exploration group of which he is director and vice president. Funkhouser has been active in a number of professional and industrial societies and associations. He served as president of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists in 1987-88 and is a member of the association's advisory board and a trustee of its foundation. One of the issues he addressed as president was the decline of enrollment in the earth sciences in U.S. colleges and universities. He is a member of the All-American Wildcatters, an oil-industry organization. He belongs to the Society of Exploration Geophysicists and has served as chair of Stanford University's earth sciences advisory board. He has been a member of the American Petroleum Institute and is a past chair of the institute's committee on exploration. He has served on the National Research Council's board on mineral and energy resources and is a member of the council's commission on physical sciences, mathematics, and resources. He is married to Jean Cooper Funkhouser '43.

BRONISLAW GEREMEK, DOCTOR OF HUMANITIES

Bronislaw Geremek was born in Warsaw, Poland in 1932 and graduated from Warsaw University in 1954. He has been a principal advisor to Solidarity leader Lech Walesa since the Gdansk strike of 1980. He was jailed for a year after the imposition of military rule in 1981 and again for three months in 1983. Last year he was one of three candidates for prime minister proposed by Solidarity to the military government, and he is now Solidarity's parliamentary floor leader. Geremek is also a scholar—a specialist in the social history of medieval France. He was a lecturer at the Sorbonne from 1960 to 1965 and served as director of the Polish Cultural Institute in Paris. He also has been a fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center in Washington, D.C. Geremek resigned from the Communist Party in 1968 to protest the Warsaw Pact invasion of Czechoslovakia. He was a member of the Polish Academy of Sciences for 30 years, eventually serving as director of its medieval history section, but was dismissed from that post in 1985 because of his political activities. According to an anecdote related by Anthony Lewis in the *New York Times,* a book by Geremek on medieval France was banned from publication in Poland because the authorities objected to a single word in it. The word? "Geremek."

ERIC THOMAS NORD, DOCTOR OF SCIENCE

Born in Amherst and a long-time resident of Oberlin, Eric Thomas Nord received the B.S. degree in mechanical engineering from Case Institute of Technology in Cleveland in 1939. He was an Oberlin trustee from 1977 to 1989, serving as a member of many committees, and is now an honorary trustee. In 1974 he and his brother Evan Nord received the college's award for distinguished service to the community. From 1940 to 1954 Nord worked for the U.S. Automatic Corporation in Amherst, controlled by his family. In 1954 he founded Nordson Corporation as a subsidiary of U.S. Automatic; in 1966 the entire operation was merged under the Nordson name. Nord served as president until 1974, when he was elected chairman of the board and chief executive officer; he gave up the latter post in 1982, when he turned 65. During his 30 years at Nordson, Nord was granted more than 25 patents for inventions related to designing, engineering, and manufacturing industrial equipment for the application of coating materials and molten adhesives. Active in the community, Nord served on the Oberlin City Council for four years, two as acting chair. He served two two-year terms on the school board, one as chair, and was a member of the board of directors for the Lorain County Joint Vocational School. He has served as a director of the Lorain County United Community Services and has been on the board of the Allen Memorial Hospital and the Federation for Human Services in Lorain County. He is a trustee of the Nordson Foundation, which has contributed to Oberlin's community center, the Head Start building, and the Early Childhood Center. Nord played an active role in the relocation of the public library. He and his wife, Jane Nord, have five grown children, including Emily Nord McClintock '76. In 1987 Eric and Jane Nord established the Nord Endowment, which funds junior faculty fellowships. The Nord Faculty Fellowships were especially designed, said Nord at that time, to "strengthen the College's ability to recruit women and members of minority groups into the faculty ranks."

TRINH T. MINH-HA, DOCTOR OF FINE ARTS

Born in Vietnam, Trinh T. Minh-ha came to the U.S. in 1970. She received the B.A. degree from Wilmington College in 1972 and three postgraduate degrees from the University of Illinois: the M.A. degree in French literature (1973), the M.Mus. (1976), and the Ph.D. in modern literature (1977). Trinh, an associate professor of cinema at San Francisco State University, is a filmmaker, writer, and composer. Her films have been shown widely in the U.S. and in Canada, Europe, Africa, the Middle East, and the Far East. Her latest work, *Surname Viet Given Name Nam* (1989), examines issues of identity and culture through the struggles of Vietnamese women. It won the blue ribbon at the American Film Festival, the film-as-art award from the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art's Society for the Encouragement of Contemporary Art and the certificate of merit from the Bombay International Film Festival. Her other two films, *Reassemblage* (1982) and *Naked Spaces—Living Is Round* (1985), were shot in West Africa. *Reassemblage* was made in Senegal, where she taught for three years at the National Conservatory of Music in Dakar. It was exhibited at the New York Film Festival in 1983, has toured the country with the Asian American film festival, and has appeared at other festivals. *Naked Spaces* won the blue ribbon for the best experimental feature at the American International Film Festival and the Golden Athena award for best feature documentary at the Athens International film festival in 1986. It was shown during the 1987 biennial of the Whitney Museum of American Art. Trinh has written books about contemporary arts (*Un art sans oeuvre,* 1981); African rural architecture *(African Spaces: Designs for Living in Upper Volta,* 1985; coauthor Jean-Paul Bourdier); and post-colonialism and feminism *(Woman, Native, Other,* 1989). She has received a Guggenheim Fellowship, a research fellowship at Cornell University, a Rockefeller Foundation intercultural film fellowship and an NEA Media Arts award.

SYLVIA HILL WILLIAMS, DOCTOR OF FINE ARTS

Sylvia Hill Williams received the B.A. degree with a major in art history from Oberlin College in 1957. She received the M.A. degree from New York University's Institute of Fine Arts in 1975, and she holds a Certificat de Français Parlé from the Ecole Pratique de l'Alliance Française in Paris. She has been director of the Smithsonian Institution's National Museum of African Art in Washington, D.C. since 1983, guiding its move into a new building in the Smithsonian complex. Before that she was a curator in the department of African, Oceanic, and New World Culture at the Brooklyn Museum. Among the exhibitions she organized at the Brooklyn Museum were "African Furniture and Household Objects," "Art of the Archaic Indonesians," and "Black South Africa, Contemporary Graphics," for which she wrote the catalog. In 1976 she organized the reinstallation of the Brooklyn Museum's permanent African collection. Williams has published several articles on African art. She has taught at the New School for Social Research in New York City, in New York University's graduate school of arts and science, and at American University. She was appointed to the Allen Memorial Art Museum's visiting committee last year. She is also a member of the board of trustees of the Association of Art Museum Directors, a member of the American Association of Museums—of which she was vice president from 1986 to 1989—and a member of the Arts council of the African Studies Association and the exhibition advisory committee of the American Federation of Arts. From 1963 to 1968 Williams was a consultant to the international exchange program of the national assembly for social policy and development in New York. She developed programs for the U.S. State Department's Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs designed for foreign leaders, specialists, and students visiting the U.S.

TATYANA IVANOVNA ZASLAVSKAYA, DOCTOR OF LAWS

"For years she has been one of the most innovative thinkers in Soviet economics," wrote the *New York Times* about Tatyana Ivanovna Zaslavskaya. A *Wall Street Journal* article termed her "one of the main theoreticians behind Mr. Gorbachev's policy of perestroika." A leading sociologist and economist in the Soviet Union since the 1950s, Zaslavskaya was appointed director of the National Center of Public Opinion Research in Moscow last year and since 1986 has been president of the Soviet Sociological Association. She has also been head of the 50-member department of Social Problems at the Soviet Academy of Science's economics branch in Novosibirsk and, since 1972, a professor at Novosibirsk University. She was named a full member of the Soviet Academy of Science in 1981. She received the Doctor of Economic Science degree from Moscow State University in 1963. Zaslavskaya has published more than 100 articles and a dozen books, most recently *The Sociology of Economic Life,* and is the author of the influential 1983 Novosibirsk report that anticipated many of the developments of the Gorbachev era—a report originally considered "too 'disruptive' for publication," according to a 1987 *New York Times* interview with Zaslavskaya. In the March 1988 issue of *Soviet Life* she wrote of the Soviet people: "Unfortunately, over many decades we have become accustomed to being passive rather than taking an active position in life. [But] we are witnessing the political awakening of the masses and the emergence of the kind of consciousness in the people that not only guarantees the success of the restructuring policy, but is a great social value in its own right."